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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR UNSC CY

SUBJ: CYPRUS IN UNSC

DEPT PLEASE PASS TO THE SECRETARY

1. FOREIGN MINISTER BITSIOS CALLED ME AND ASKED ME TO PASS TO YOU ON A VERY PRIVATE AND PERSONAL BASIS HIS SUGGESTION THAT YOU HAVE BILL BUFFUM GO TO NEW YORK FOR THE UNSC MEETING ON CYPRUS. BITSIOS SAID HE WANTED TO STAY IN THE CLOSEST AND MOST RAPID TOUCH WITH YOU, IDEALLY ON THE SPOT THROUGH BOTH YOUR REPRESENTATIVES IN NEW YORK.
  2. BITSIOS INDICATED THERE COULD BE SOME FAST-BREAKING DEVELOPMENTS BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE UNSC AND THAT BUFFUM, WHO KNOWS THE CYPRUS SITUATION WELL AND WHOM HE REMEMBERS WARMLY AND WITH GREAT RESPECT, COULD BE INVALUABLE IF HE WERE THERE.
  3. I SAID I WAS SURE YOU WOULD TRY TO ACCEPT HIS SUGGESTION IF YOU COULD AND THAT MUCH WOULD PROBABLY DEPEND ON THE TIMING, BUFFUM'S AVAILABILITY AND PERHAPS OTHER FACTORS THAT COULD NOT BE KNOWN FROM HERE.
  4. I RECOMMEND THAT YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THIS PERSONAL SUGGESTION, WHICH BITSIOS MADE IN A SPIRIT OF FRIENDLY COLLABORATION, AND AUTHORIZE ME TO REPLY TO HIM IN SOME APPROPRIATE WAY.
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